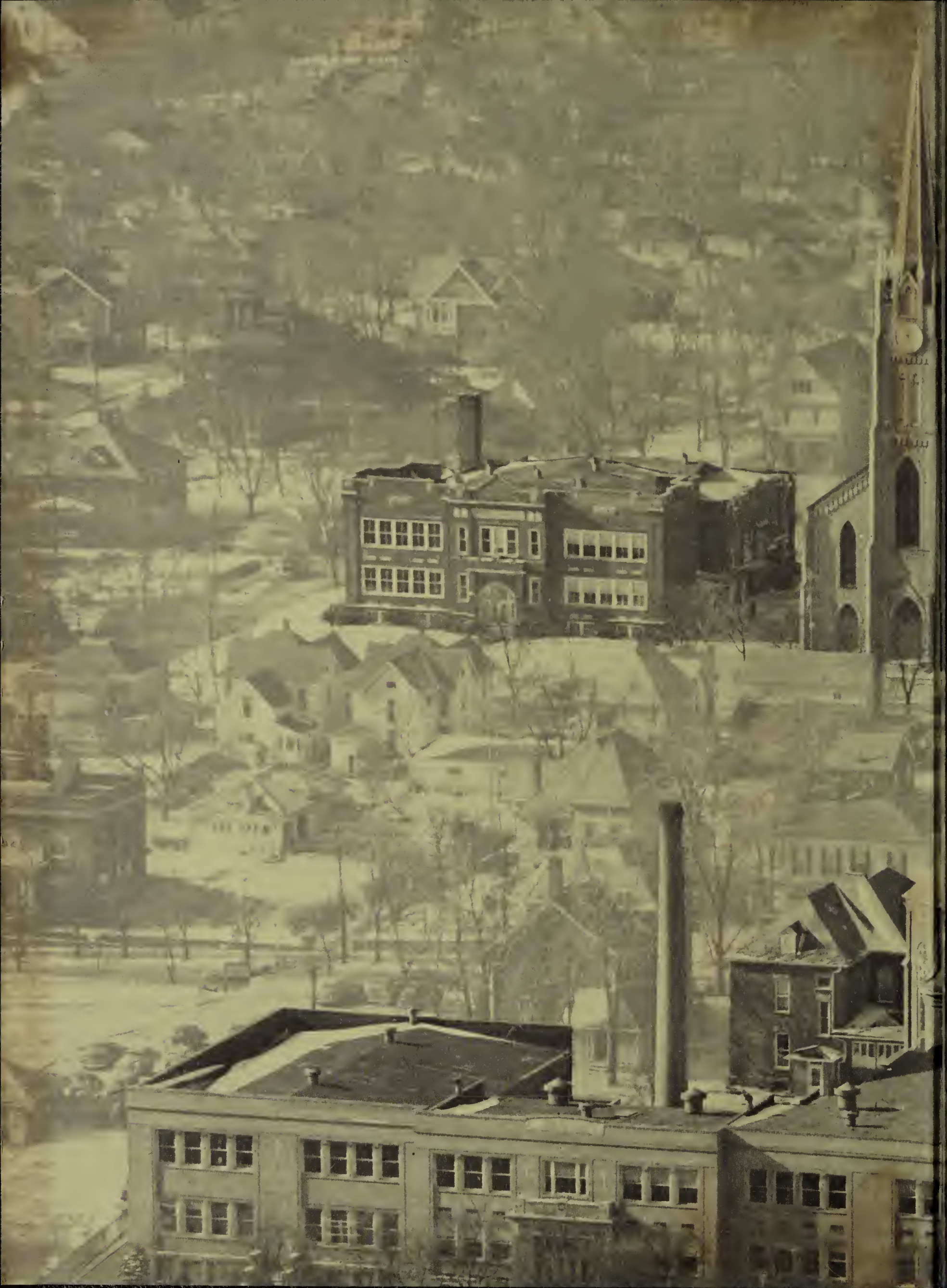

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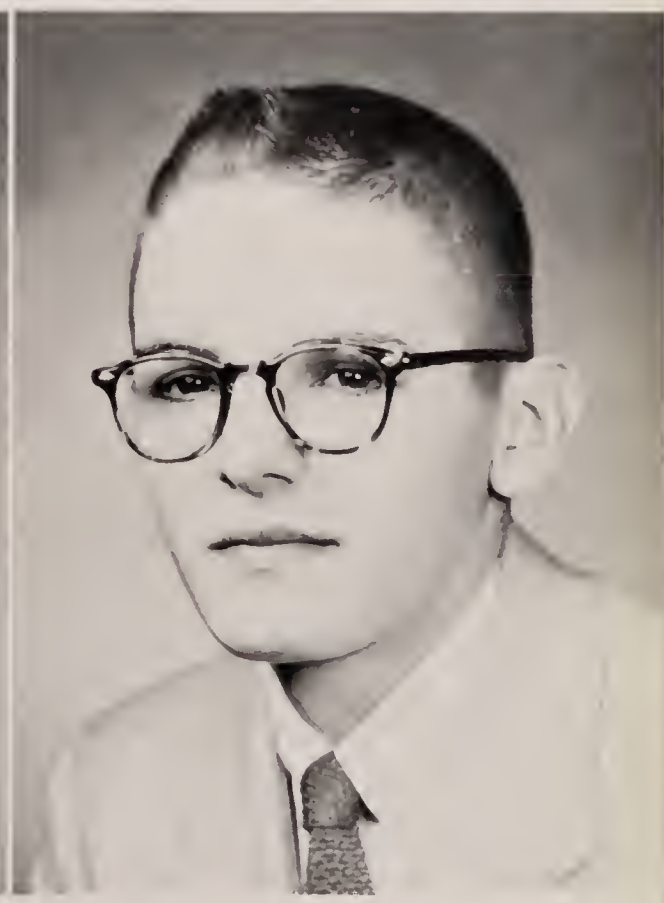

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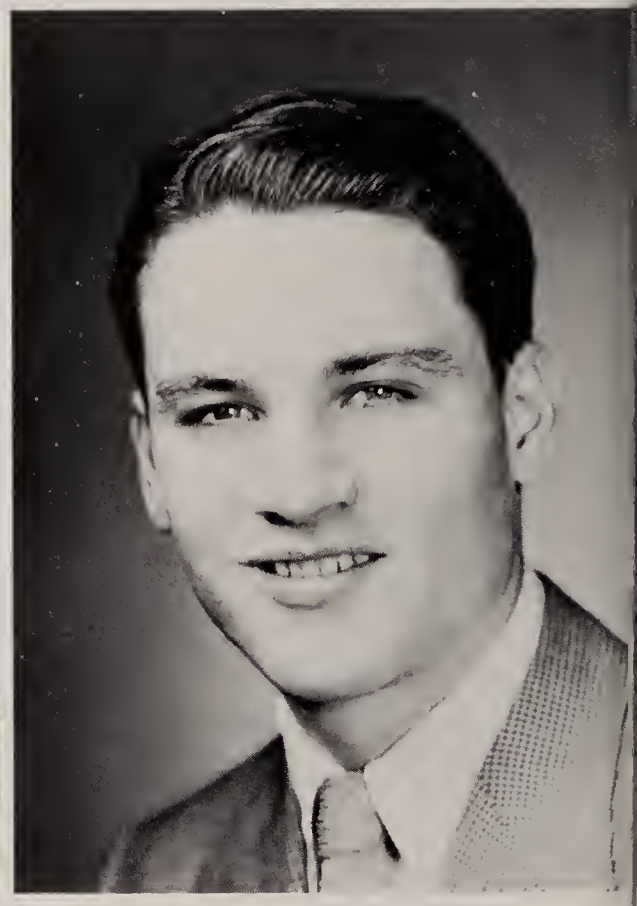

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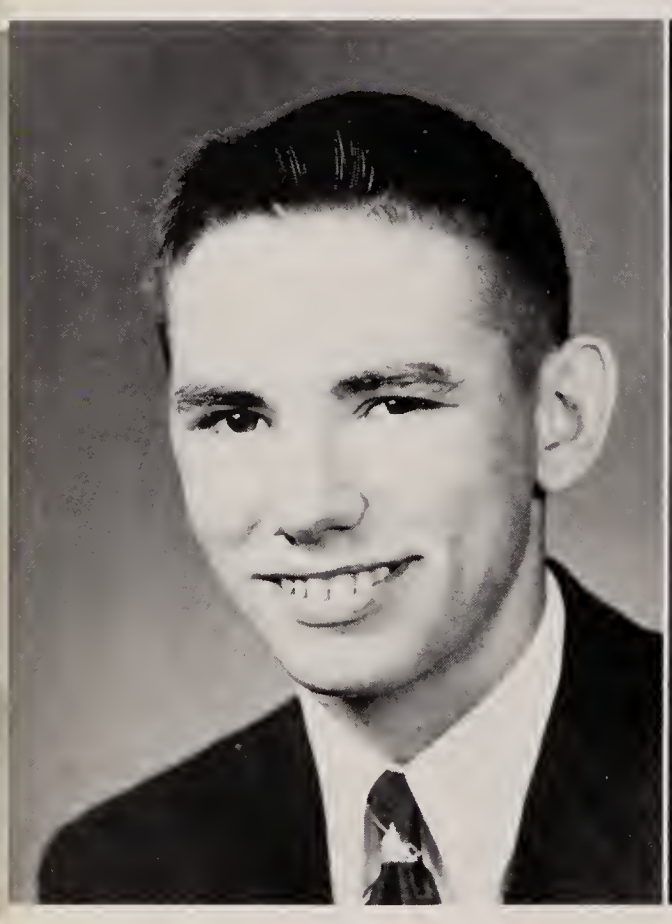

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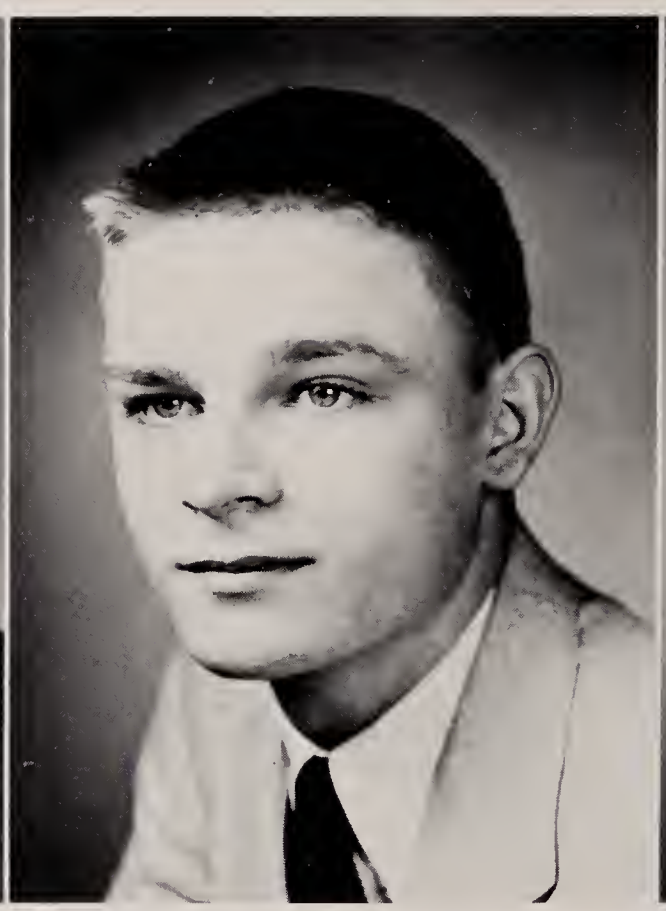

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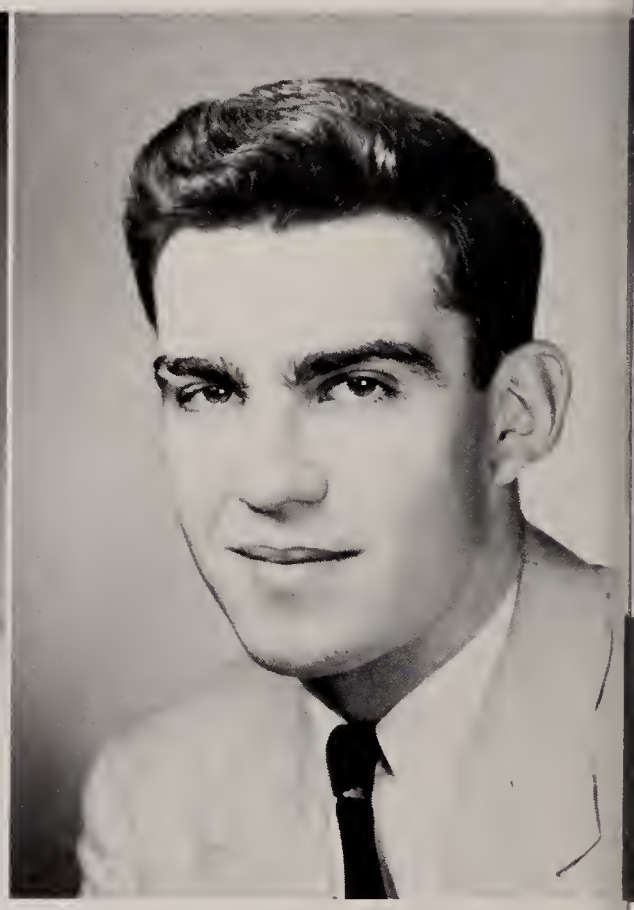

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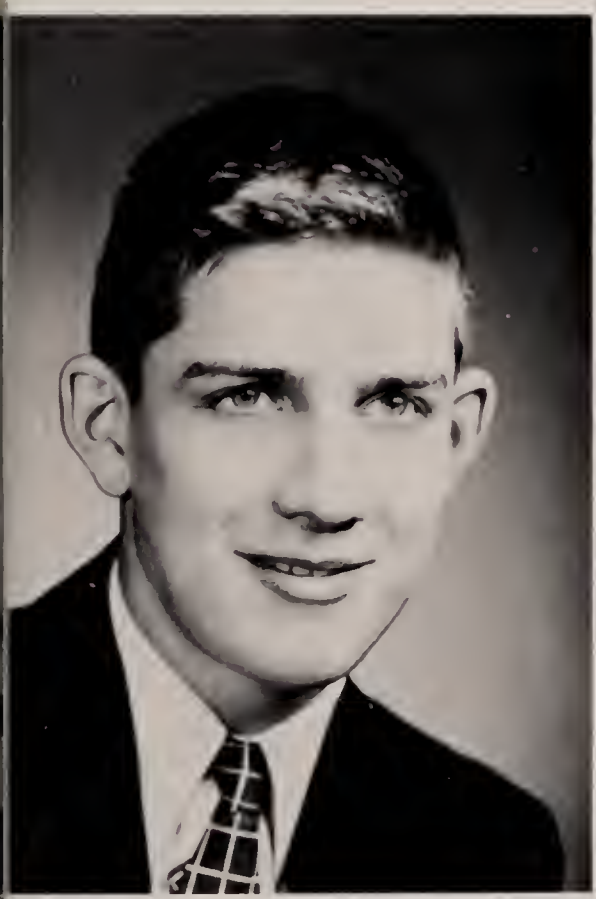

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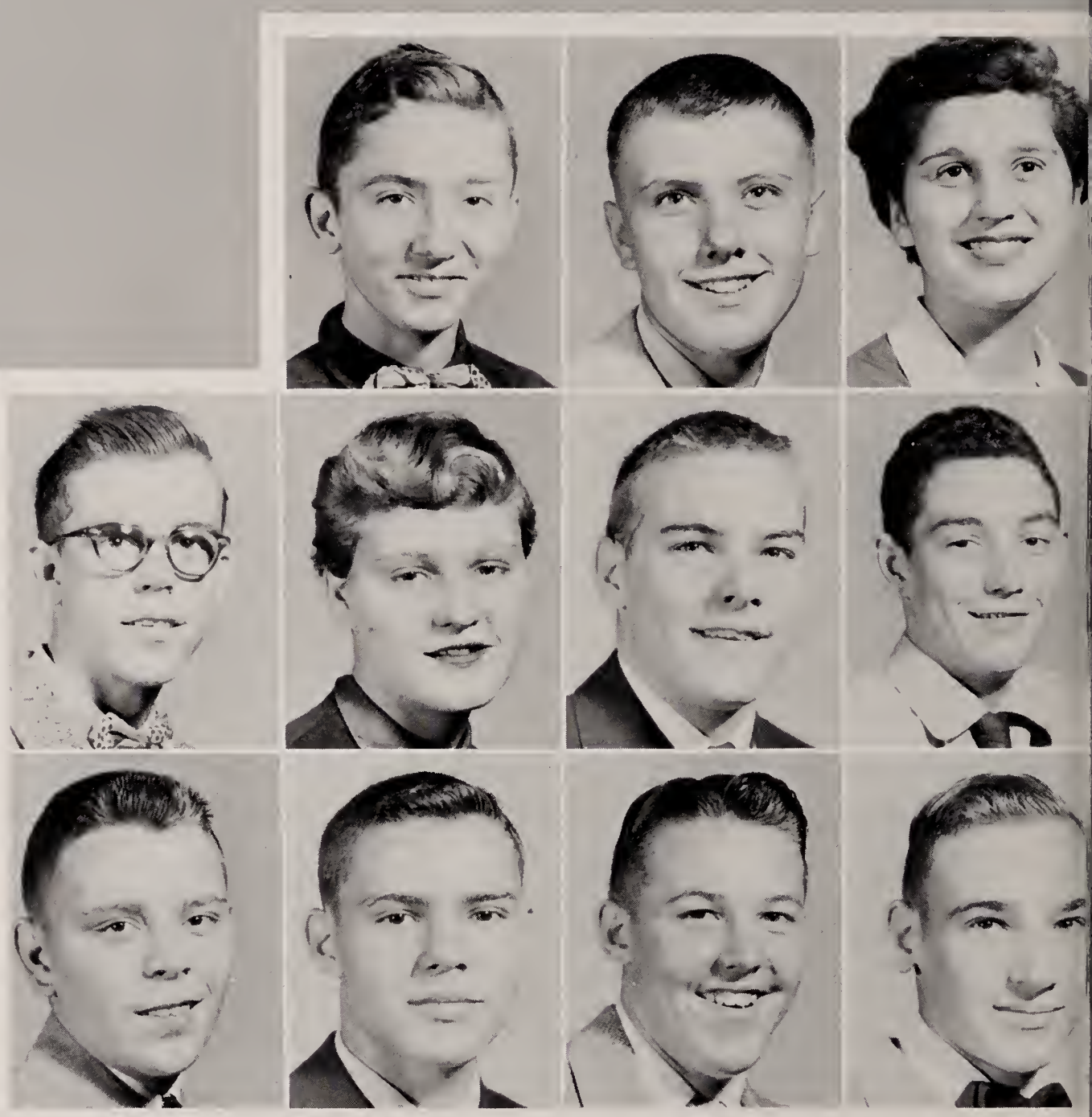

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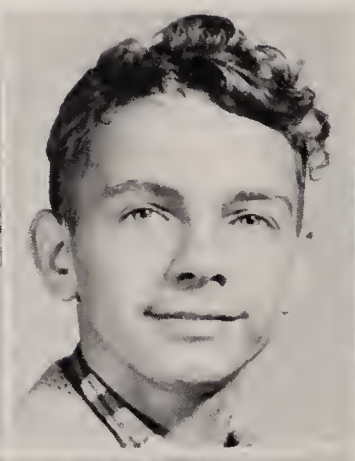

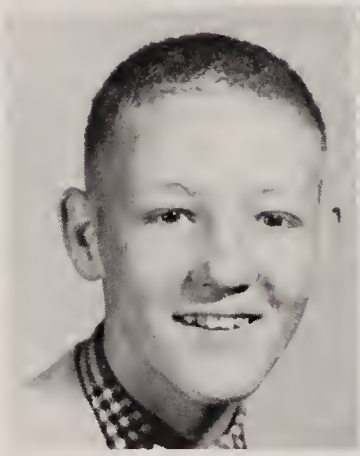

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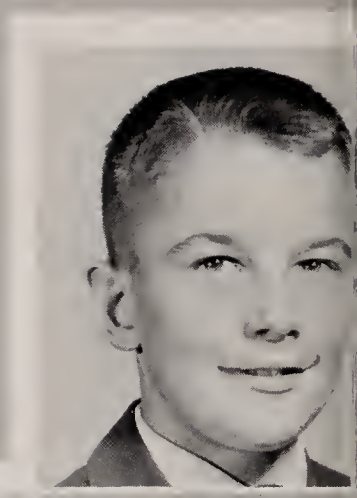

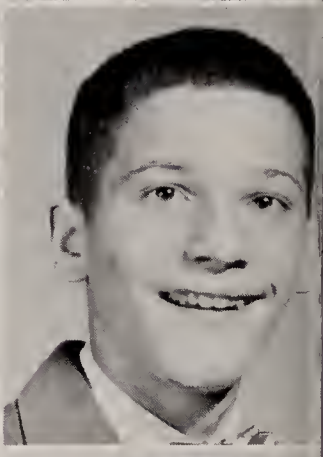

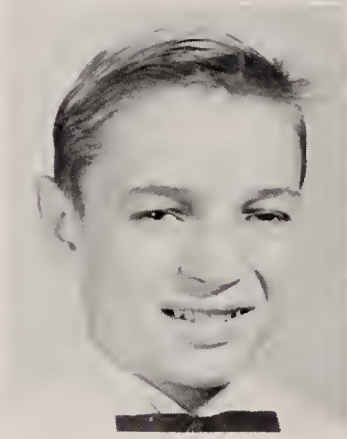

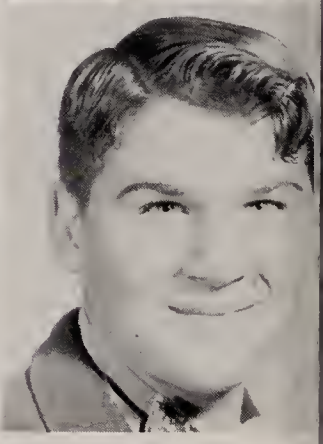

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Left: Roberta Lootens, Betty Eckert and Donald Bartrom. Above: Eileen Ehinger.

The Senior Class of '55 under the direction of Father James Conroy, Father Charles Ueber, and Sister Mary Theodora, gave the play, "The Little Dog Laughed" on November 21 and 22 in Saints Peter and Paul Auditorium. The play is a three act comedy written by Vera and Ken Tarpley.

The plot of the play revolves around Laurie Huntington, a college student in Psychology. During her summer vacation Laurie decides to give the Zombroski Ink Blot test to her mother's friends to determine their personalities as practice. Besides insulting the ladies she caused her mother to become unnerved and interfers with her fathers chances of improving his business. But in spite of all the confusion and unhappiness the Huntington's trials and tribulations are overcome through mutual understanding.

The part of Laurie Huntington was played by Dolores Young and Eileen Ehinger. Her parents, Martha Huntington and Sidney Huntington were portrayed by Maryln PeGan and Roberta Lootens, and Robert Kelker. The part of Wally Huntington, Laurie's adolescent brother and a typical teenager, was very ably played by Donald Bartrom.

Marilyn Kapp and Larry B. Scheiber kept the audience laughing as they enacted the parts of Gus (Miss Gustavesky) and Horatio P. Honeywell. Gus was the Huntington's maid and Horatio P. Honeywell was her birdman.

Joan Wood, Wally Huntington's girls friend, was played by Betty Eckert. Ted Wood, Joan's father and Mr. Huntington's competitor in the used car business, was enacted by Raymond Johnson. Mary Ann Kelker portrayed the part of Lillian Wood, Joan's mother. Mark Bradford, characterized by Wallace Stoffel, was Joan's cousin and Laurie's boy friend.

The ladies, who so expertly failed the Zombrowski Ink Blot test were Sharon Landrigan as Mrs. Amelia Dennis, Sondra Bickel as Mrs. Caroline Blakesley, Carol Harvey as Mrs. Grace Schoenbeck, June Stoffel as Mrs. Walola Breckenridge and Sarah Welches as Miss Therese Brown.

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Zelma Greenwell, Mary Kathryn Ernst, Sharon Landrigan and Carolyn Sutton.

William Solloway, Harold Reust.

The production staff gave as good a performance behind the scenes as the cast gave on stage. Harold Reust as stage manager provided appropriate background for the change in scenes. He was assisted with the settings by Paul Ness. William Solloway managed to keep the lights lit and the bells ringing at the proper time. Sarah Welches did the paintings used in the Zombrowski Ink Blot Test. Mary Kathryn Ernst and Martha Holzinger were kept busy getting together the articles such as thermometers, a baton, etc., which were used in the play. Carolyn Sutton and Zelma Greenwell finally got their one desire. They were able to play with make-up two nights in a row. They did this, under the supervision of Mary Rydberg who was kind enough to help the Seniors. The ticket selling was handled by Rita Reinhart. Larry E. Scheiber and Richard Briggs were house managers and Mark Fowerbaugh, Thomas Edgar, and Donald Karst were ushers.

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Sophomore Rainbow Chorus: Carolyn Godfroy, Peggy Nix, Sandra Bir, Marilyn Guthier, Rosetta Smith, Judy Oliver, Judy Bartrom, and Mary Jane Eckert. Vocalist: Sheila Dillon and Helen Scher.

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HILLTOP VARIETIES

Spring brings forth many talents of students. In its second year the "Varieties" proves to be as successful as the '54 Premier.

Top; Singers: Joseph Schmitt, Judith Swoverland, and Ann Fink. Banjo player; Gerald Stoltz, Singers: Margaret Scheiber and Sharon Bauer. Bottom; Singers: John Mettler, Richard Beeler, John Kindler, John Young, and Paul Krumanaker. Accordion player: William Holzinger. Tomboys: Charleyne Owens, Martha Scher, and Charlotte Biekel.

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Cast for one act play, NOBODY SLEEPS HERE. Top: Dolores Young, Margaret Nix, Marie Miller, Donald Bartrom, and Carol Kastner. Bottom: Donald Bartrom, Marie Miller, Larry McCutcheon, and Ronald Bartrom.

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CHORUS

BOTTOM ROW: Dixie Lafferty, Ann Fink, Judith Swoverland, Mary Ann Flora, Joyce Fitzgerald, Patricia Ufheil, Rita Rowe, Mary Ann Shaffer, Margaret Scheiber, Sharon Bauer, Marie Miller, Judith Scheiber, Susan Fisher. SECOND ROW: Rosalie Owens, Judith Oliver, Marjorie Fitzgerald, Carolyn Godfroy, Martha Scher, Charlotte Bickel, Charlyne Owens, Margaret Nix, Sandra Bir, Judy Bartrom, Mary Jane Eckert, Sheila Dillon, Marilyn Guthier. THIRD ROW: Helen Scher, Janet Swoverland, Martha Power, Doris Karst, Mary Scher, Betty Teusch, Carol Schmitt, Ann Kastner, Marilyn Saluke, Marjorie Teusch, Mary Rose Querry, Theresa Kiefer, Mary Jane Garrison, Linda Scheiber, TOP ROW: Rosetta Smith, Rita Reinhart, Zelma Greenwell, Sharon Landrigan, June Stoffel, Sarah Welches, Mary Ann Kelker, Carol Kastner, Janet Beeler, Carol Sutton, Marilyn Kapp, Dolores Young, Mary Kathryn Ernst, Eileen Ehinger, Carol Harvey, Martha Holzinger.

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The "Hilltop" the school "news" paper is edited by the Senior Class under the guidance of Sister M. Alba, O. S. F. and Sister M. Frances Louise, SSND. Each year a theme is selected for the purpose of promoting Christian Ideals. The past year the Seniors chose "B What You R." The last issue of the "Hilltop" is published by the Junior Class as a tribute to the graduates. The "Hilltop" is a member of the Catholic Press Association which endeavors to promote Catholic principles through Journalism.

Maryln PeGan and Larry B. Scheiber.

Eileen Ehinger, Rita Reinhart, Betty Eckert, Marilyn Kapp and Selma Greenwell.

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THE PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

Although Huntington Catholic High School Parent-Teachers Association is comparatively new it has done much to improve parent-teacher relationships and assist students in various ways. To prove the PTA's efforts were not in vain select students presented a program made up of various class projects studied throughout the year. A pot-luck supper in May closed PTA activities for the year. Mr. Thomas Landrigan, Mr. James Fisher, Mrs. Richard McCutcheon, and Mr. Richard Briggs pictured above are the officers for 1954-55.

LIBRARY

The contributions the library gives regarding research projects, choral readings, and such, help students with current events that tie in with classes. Recreational and educational books are there for use, also, film strips, records, posters, and fiction stories. A special addition to the library this year is the "Abridged Readers Guide." Student librarians: Charlyne Owens, Roberta Lootens, and Marjorie Fitzgerald.

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RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

CHRISTMAS PARADE

Three Kings: Mark Fowerbaugh, Robert Kelker and Richard Ness. The Blessed Mother: Martha Holzinger.

CATHOLIC STUDENTS MISSION CRUSADE

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The Catholic Students Mission Crusade enables the entire student body to work together for the foreign and home missions. The three aims of the Crusade are to pray, sacrifice, and make financial contribution. Moderator for the group is Sister M. Eva, SSND.

The first project for the year was selling Christmas Cards and promoting the real meaning of Christmas. Students made sacrifices during Advent and Lent by contributing $158 for the Bishops' War Relief Fund.

Officers for the C. S. M. C. the past year were (above): Mark Fowerbaugh, Treasurer; Robert Kelker, Vice-president; Roberta Lootens, President; and Dolores Young, Secretary.

MAY CROWNING

Senior Girls of the two Parishes participate in the annual ceremonies in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Marilyn Kapp, May Queen from Saints Peter and Paul Parish is shown in the top picture with her attendants. Maryln PeGan from Saint Mary Parish lines up with her attendants in the lower picture.

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SODALITIES

Saint Peter and Paul's Sodality Officers: Betty Teusch, Secretary; Marilyn Kapp, Prefect; William Solloway, Vice-Prefect.

Saint Mary's Sodality Officers, right: Mary Jane Eckert, Secretary; Martha Power, Vice-Prefect; Mary Ann Kelker, Prefect; Charlyne Owens, Treasurer. Below, Saint Mary's Junior Holy Name Officers: Mark Fowerbaugh, Activities Chairman; Michael Fisher, President; Larry McCutcheon, Secretary; Robert Boyle, Vice-President.

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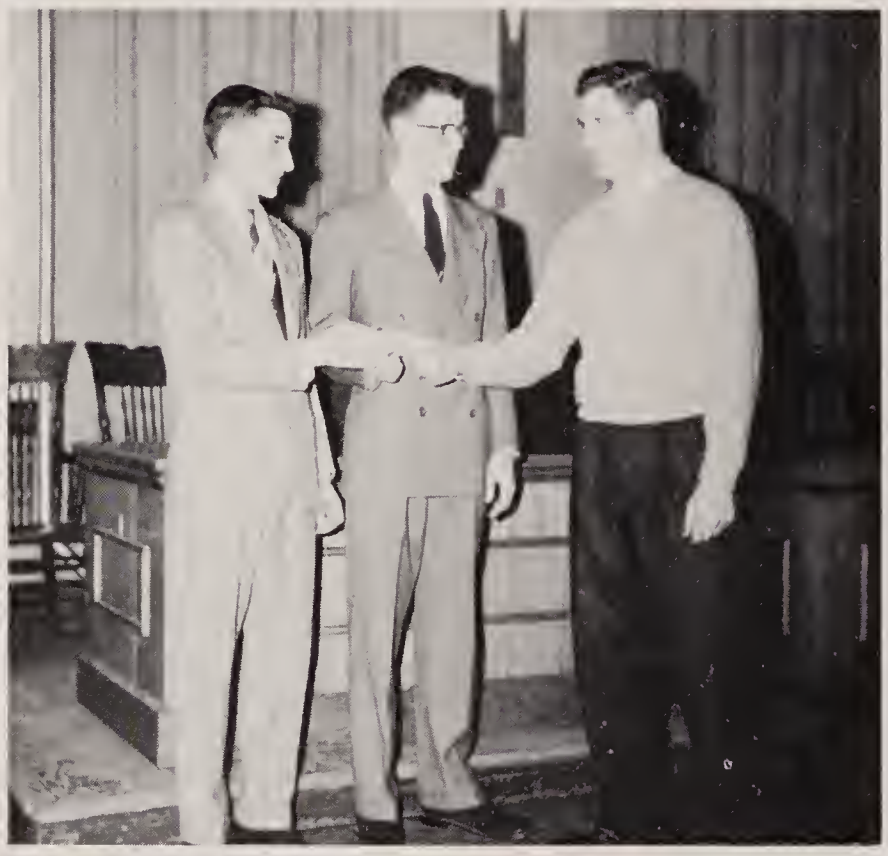
CONTESTS

June Stoffel, winner of the annual I SPEAK FOR DEMOCRACY CONTEST, is shown with Roberta Lootens, victor and representative in the ROTARY SPEECH CONTEST.



In the KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPEECH CONTEST, Wallace Stoffel and Donald Bartrom receive awards from Mr. Nicholas Lambros, K. of C. Catholic Activities Chairman. The topic was "The Catholic Heritage of America." Donald Bartrom, the winner, represented H. C. H. at the regional contest in Fort Wayne.

Four H. C. H. students participated in the "TEENAGER TALK IT OVER" radio program over station WVSH. Maryln PeGan and Roberta Lootens discussed the topic "Do City Schools Offer More Than County Schools?" Richard Briggs and Larry B. Scheiber gave their viewpoints on "Should High School Students Be Limited In Their Participation In Extra-Curricular Activities?"

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BETA CLUB

Beta Club Initiation

The Beta Club is an honor society which promotes honesty, service, and leadership among students. Members of the Beta Club must maintain a "B" average.

The agenda for the year 1954-55 included skating parties in November and April; a chili dinner in March; and the initiation dinner for new members in December. Four students attended the Regional Convention held in Kentucky in December.

Officers of the Beta Club for the year were: Eileen Ehinger, president; Marilyn Kapp, vice-president; Zelma Greenwell, secretary; Carol Kastner, treasurer.

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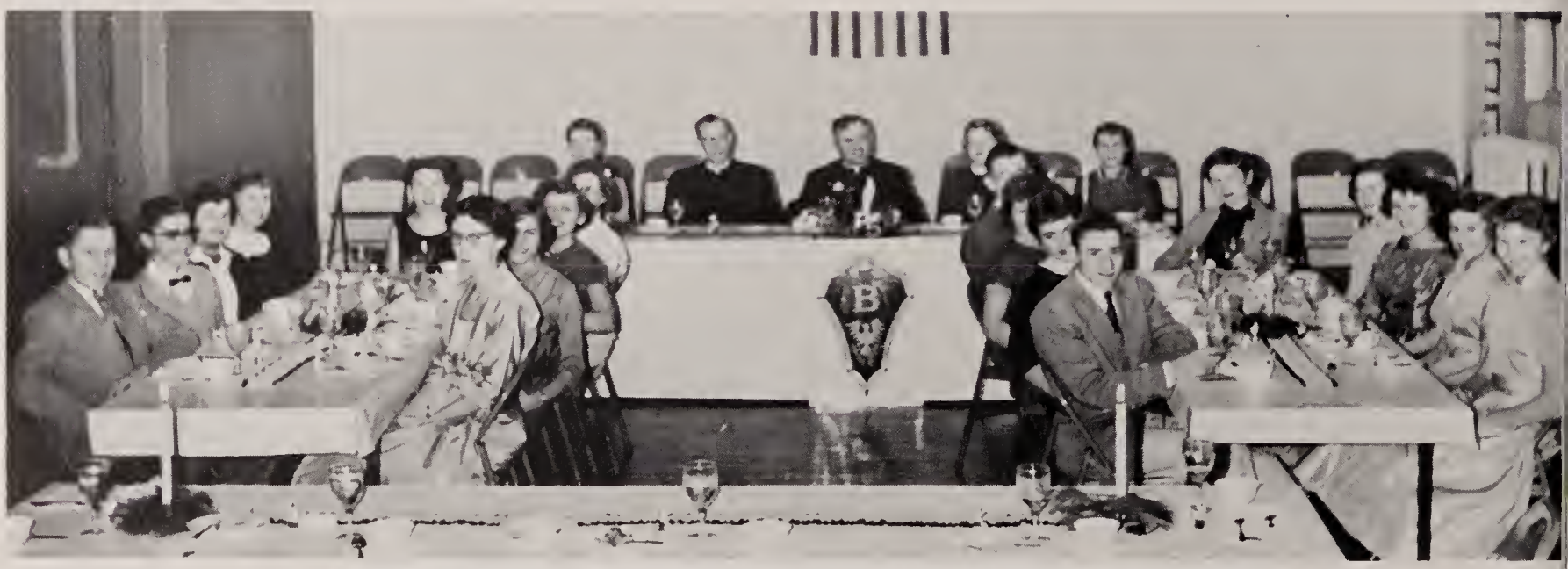
SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

"Chow line" at the Beta Club Chile Dinner.



The annual Initiation Banquet of the Beta Club.

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As part of the girls social life "food" plays an important role as proven by the picture above. But during the lunch hour the Freshmen and Sophomore boys seemingly consider it more important to play a "red hot" game of cards than to eat.

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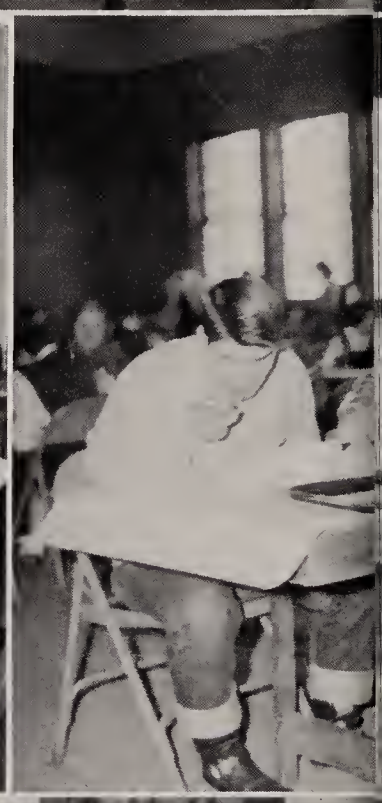

SHOTS

YEARBOOK

EDITORS

Editorial Staff: Betty Eckert, Marlyn PeGan, Zelma Greenwell, and Marilyn Kapp.

Huntington Catholic's yearbook, the RAMBLER is published annually by the Senior Class. Under the guidance of Father John Reed the memories of the school year are retained in the pages of our yearbook. Although this is not the work of famed artists it is the Seniors sincere attempt to imprint their high school careers on the gilded pages of the RAMBLER. To the faculty, underclassmen, and especially to Father Reed, we are grateful for their help in publishing this yearbook.

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AND STAFF

Sophomore assistants: Marjorie Fitzgerald, Rosalie Owens, William Holzinger and Marilyn Guthier.

Junior assistants: Donald Bartrom, Martha Power, Carol Kastner, Michael Young, and Ronald Bartrom.

Senior assistants: Mary Catherine Ernst, Sandra Bickel, Dolores Young, Eileen Ehinger, Sharon Landrigan, June Stoffel and Carol Harvey.

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RAMBLERS

Kenneth J. PeGan, Athletic Director of the school.

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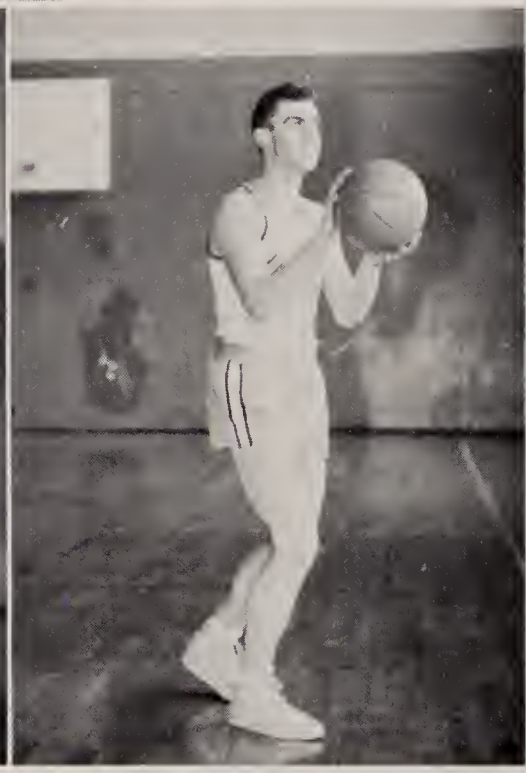

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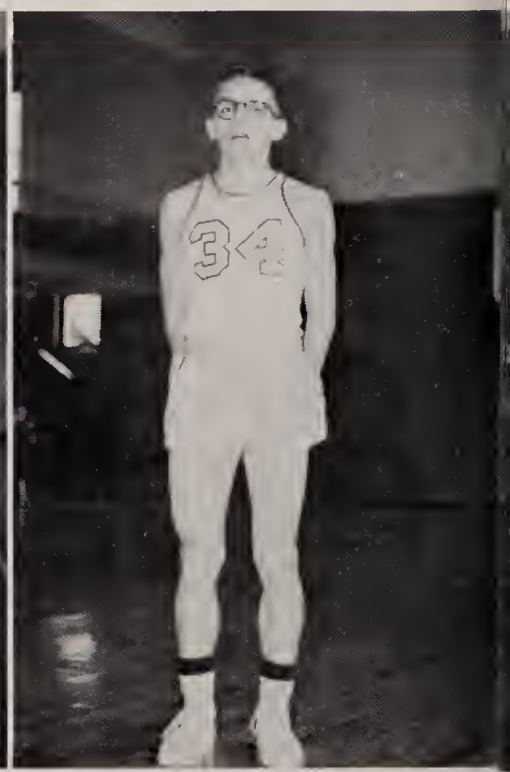

RICHARD BRIGGS

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The H. C. H. Ramblers '54-'55 season under the guidance of Kenneth PeGan had an impressive season, winning twelve of their nineteen games played.

With four returning lettermen, the Rams traveled to Warren for the season opener, where they showed considerable poise by trouncing the Lightening Five 60 to 41. Robert Boyle was leading scorer for the evening with 26 points. Gary Schultz captured 10 points for Warren.

The opening minutes of the Clear Creek game proved that it was to be a thriller. Because of a well balance attack the Ramblers trailed by only one point at the half way mark. In the final quarter H.C.H. went on to surpass the Bulldogs 37 to 35.

Raymond Johnson and Joe Hostetler were high scorers with 15 and 14 points respectively.

Larry Scheiber about to carry out his fake with a pass to Mark Fowerbaugh as Bernard Stoffel and William Solloway await a possible rebound.

MARK FOWERBAUGH

DARWIN FRICK

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The Rams were handed their first defeat by the Huntington Township Bearcats. Although the Irish enjoyed a considerable lead at the first half it was to no avail. The Cats edged them out by displaying unusual shooting ability. The final score was 33 to 36 in favor of the opponent.

In spite of Monmouth's size the Rams were able to bring home a 50 to 39 victory. Throughout the first half the game was nip and tuck. The Rams were assured victory in the fourth quarter due to their outstanding scoring. Michael Fisher led the way with 20 points.

The Lancaster game was a continuance of the Ramblers winning streak. Superiority was shown by the Irish throughout the contest, with free throw accuracy paving the road to victory. The final score being 61 to 40.

The Decatur game was the first game of the season in which the fans could sit back and relax. The subs gained valuable experience since the regulars made quick work from the scoring angle. Ray Johnson led the Catholic quintet with 22 points.

The Harlan Hawks were victorious in a hard fought ball game. Although the Rams battled gallantly they fell behind to trail at the first half 20 to 31. In the third stanza H.C.H. gave the fans new hope only to go down to defeat in the final quarter. Despite Fisher's and Johnson's superior shooting the final tally was 63 to 56.

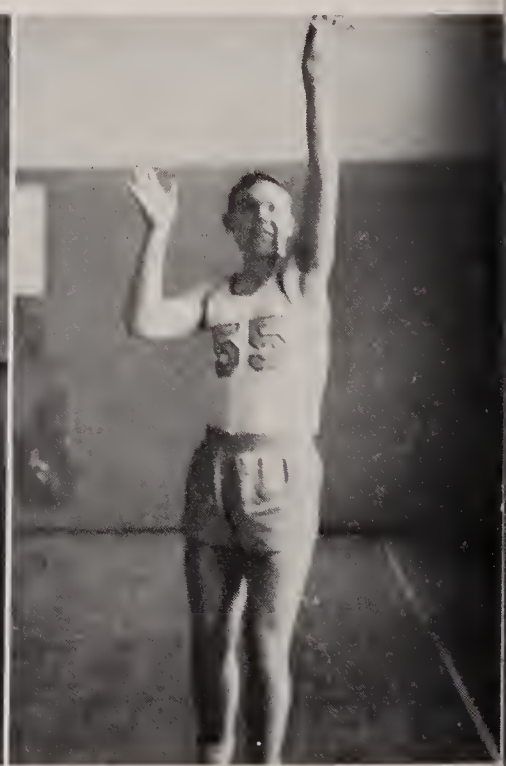
Next the Irish traveled to Jefferson of Whitley County only to be bested by a determined Jefferson quintet. Throughout the contest expert ball handling was displayed by both teams. The main factor contributing to the Irish defeat was inefficiency at the foul stripe.

In a pre-holiday game the Catholic squad handed the Jefferson of Huntington club a 67 to 51 defeat. Even though it took the Rams a considerable time to get started they enjoyed a lengthy lead throughout the entire second half. Johnson and Fisher again lead the Rams with 19 and 12 points res-

DONALD BARTROM

STEVE FRICK

WILLIAM SOLLOWAY



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To start the new year out the Ramblers walked away with a 59 to 39 victory over the Marion Bennett five. The third stanza proved disasterous for the Bennett club due to the defensive force of the Irish.

The Bippus Tigers invaded the Community gymnasium to be handed their third straight by the Ramblers. H.C.H. showed superb ball handling especially at the charity stripe. Leading scorers were Fisher and Hoch with 15 and 16 Points.

In traveling to Hoagland the Rams although a little nervous showed excellent techniques to come out on the long end of a 66 to 49 game. The nets seemed to burn throughout the entire game with shooting honors going to Michael Fisher and Robert Boyle with Richard Briggs close behind.

The Irish sent the Roanoke Stonewalls home on the debit side of the ledger as they defeated them for the second time. There was expert shooting from both teams. David Welker paced the losers with 21 points. While Fisher and Johnson shared the largest part of the burden for the Rams. The final score was 59 to 56.

The Huntington Township Bearcats, the city rival, invaded the Community Gymnasium to overpower the Ramblers 45 to 42. Although Johnson did an excellent job on guarding Crago, the outstanding center for the Cats, Laurie burned the nets for thirteen markers, while Johnson scored 15 points for the Irish.

The Cardinals of Andrews fell by the wayside because of a fast-moving Catholic quintet. A well balanced team in regard to shooting honors was the main factor for the Irish victory. At the end of the final stanza the score read 66 to 52.

Although the Rambler five led most of the way in the Union game the Sharpshooters rallied in the third quarter to hand the Irish a heart-breaking defeat. Robert Boyle was high scorer with 16 points for the Rams. Kline was high point man with 16 markers for Union.

The Rams chalked up their twelfth victory of the season by overpowering the Lancaster Bobcats 68 to 51. Boyle again lead the way for the Irish by scoring 22 points. In the season final the Ramblers were edged out by the South Whitley Bulldogs 56 to 51. After the first quarter the Rams seemed to go into a slump from which they never recovered. Scoring honors went to Ray Johnson.

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Nicholas Lambros shows Susie Powers, Mary Rose Queery and Eileen Ehinger a new technique for their cheerleading.

FIRST ROW: Maryln PeGan, Sharon Landrigan, Elizabeth Eckert, Carol Ann Harvey, Dolores Young, Mary Kathryn Ernst, Zelma Greenwell. SECOND ROW: Joyce Raney, Carolyn Sutton, Martha Holzinger, June Stoffel, Mary Scher, Doris Karst, Theresa Kiefer. THIRD ROW: Ann Kastner, Janet Swoverland, Carol Kastner, Carol Schmitt, Mary Jane Garrison, Marilyn Saluke, Elizabeth Teusch. FOURTH ROW: Janet Andrews, Shiela Dillon, Charlotte Bickel, Martha Scher, Margaret Nix, Judy Bartrom, Helen Scher. FIFTH ROW: Marilyn Guthier, Carolyn Godfroy, Charlyne Owens, Rosalie Owens, Mary Jane Eckert, Judy Oliver, Marjorie Fitzgerald. SIXTH ROW: Rita Rowe, Sharon Bower, Marie Miller, Margaret Scheiber, Mary Ann Flora, Patricia Ufheil, Carol Seifert. SEVENTH ROW: Carol Petrie, Ann Fink, Judy Swoverland, Barbara Satterthwaite, Katherine Rauktis, Barbara Gamble, Patricia Russo. EIGHTH ROW: Carol Ryberg.

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STUDENT MANAGERS

Basketball Managers: Thomas Shaw, Joseph Schmitt and Jack Young.

JUNIOR VARSITY

The Jayvees of 1954-55. FIRST ROW: John Kindler, Bernard Kroeger, Wayne Scheiber, Steven Frick, James Godfroy. SECOND ROW: Ronald Bartrom, Gerald Stoltz, Richard Teusch, Paul Krumanaker. THIRD ROW: Wallace Stoffel, Larry McCutcheon, Bernard Stoffel, and Donald Bartrom.

The smiling Junior's of 1955, Champions of the ICT, are Wallace Stoffel, Michael Fisher, Jake Karst, Coach, Donald Bartrom, Robert Boyle, John Teusch, Darwin Frick, Michael Bartrom, Ronald Bartrom and Larry McCutcheon.

Mary Scher, Janet Swoverland, and Betty Teusch were successful in cheering the winning team on to victory.

Sharon Landrigan and June Stoffel were the Senior cheerleaders.

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INTERCLASS TOURNEY

Father Ueber presents Mark Fowerbaugh, who was winner of the coveted sportsmanship award, with his Senior jacket as Kenneth PeGan, Coach, looks on.

Dixie Lafferty, Sharon Bower, and Marie Miller lead the Freshmen Globetrotters in a cheer.

The Sophomore Sailors are encouraged by Sheila Dillon, Marjorie Fitzgerald and Rosalie Owens.

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BASEBALL

An exciting moment in the Alexandria game.

FRONT ROW: Wayne Scheiber, 2nd base and outfield; Bob Boyle, catcher; Larry E. Scheiber, pitcher and 2nd base; Richard Briggs, pitcher and short stop; Ronald Bartrom, outfield. BACK ROW: James Godfroy, 2nd base; Darwin Frick, 3rd base; Mike Fisher, outfield; Larry McCutcheon, pitcher; Dick Teusch, outfield; Steve Frick, short stop; Paul Krumanaker, catcher; Raymond Johnson, 1st base; Jack Kindler, outfield; Donald Bartrom, pitcher.

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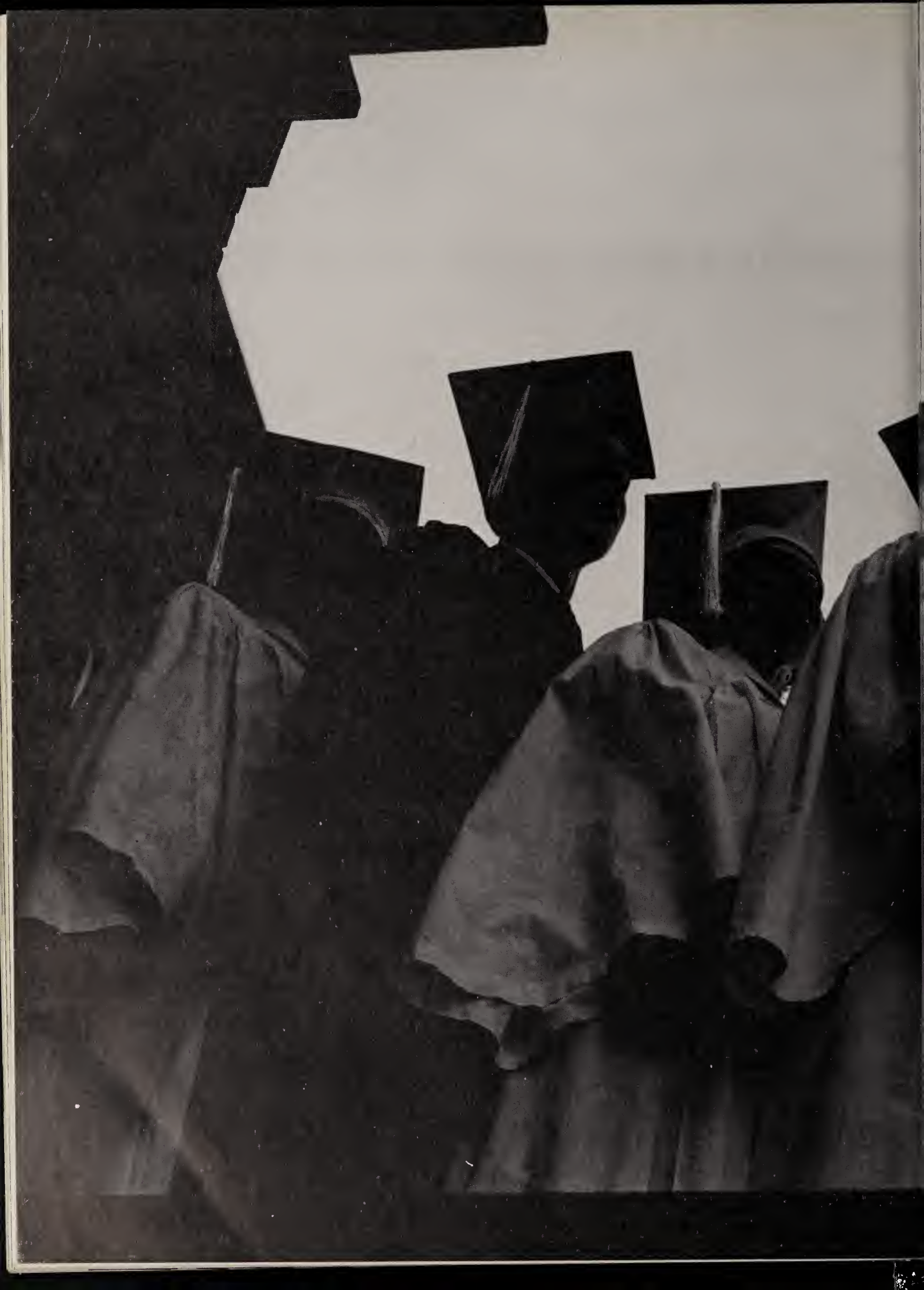
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The girls gym class is conducted by Mildred Scher.

The boys physical education activities are supervised by Kenneth PeGan.



GRADUATION

Larry B. Scheiber and Father Reed.

Father Ueber presents sports awards to Stephen Frick, Bernard Kroeger, Russell Teusch, John Kindler, and Wayne Scheiber for participation in basketball and baseball.

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HONOR DAY

At the close of each year students are honored for their outstanding accomplishments in school life. Awards are given for scholastic ability, sports, commercial achievements, prefect attendance, and citizenship. As a token of gratitude for the faculty's assistance through the school year the Beta Club and Senior Class present a small gift to the school. This year Father Ueber gave the awards, Larry B. Scheiber was Master of Ceremonies, and Father Reed was speaker.

Maryln PeGan, Dolores Young, and Roberta Lootens receive scholastic achievement awards.

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JUNIOR-SENIOR

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RECEPTION

Reverend Charles J. Ueber, Reverend John H. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Ray J. Kastner, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stoffel.

Martha Holzinger, Raymond Johnson, Zelma Greenwell, Carol Schmitt, Sandra Bickel, Elizabeth Eckert, Sarah Welches, Richard Briggs, Eileen Ehinger, and Robert Boyle.

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Roberta Lootens, Donald Bartrom, Ann Kastner, Carol Kastner, Elizabeth Teusch, Larry B. Scheiber, Mary Ann Kelker, Thomas Edgar, Ronald Bartrom, and Dolores Young.

Gerald Kindler, Robert Kelker, Larry McCutcheon, Sharon Landrigan, Bryan Eckert, Harold Reust, Marjorie Teusch, Marilyn Saluke, Michael Young, and Carolyn Sutton.

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PROM

Junior-Senior parents serve refreshments to the guests during intermission.

The annual Junior-Senior prom is held at the Knights of Columbus Hall during Senior Week. This year dancing was to the music of Rex Steffy and his orchestra. The theme of the Prom was "An Evening in Paris." Martha Holzinger was chosen queen for the evening.

Congratulations Graduates
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Good Luck Seniors
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SENIOR

An anticipated event on the program of Graduation Week activities at the end of the school year is the breakfast at which the Senior Mothers are guests.

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MOTHERS BREAKFAST

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Maryln PeGan and Roberta Lootens.

Graduation day May 29 began with the Baccalaureate Mass at St. Mary's Church with the Reverend Edward Miller as celebrant. Commencement exercises were held at Saints Peter and Paul Auditorium at eight p. m. The welcoming was given by Maryln PeGan and Roberta Lootens presented the Valedictory address. The Reverend James O'Connor was speaker and the diplomas were awarded by the Reverend Edward Miller.

COMMENCEMENT

Father Ueber, Father Miller, and Mary Ann Kelker.

Father James O'Connor, Commencement Speaker.

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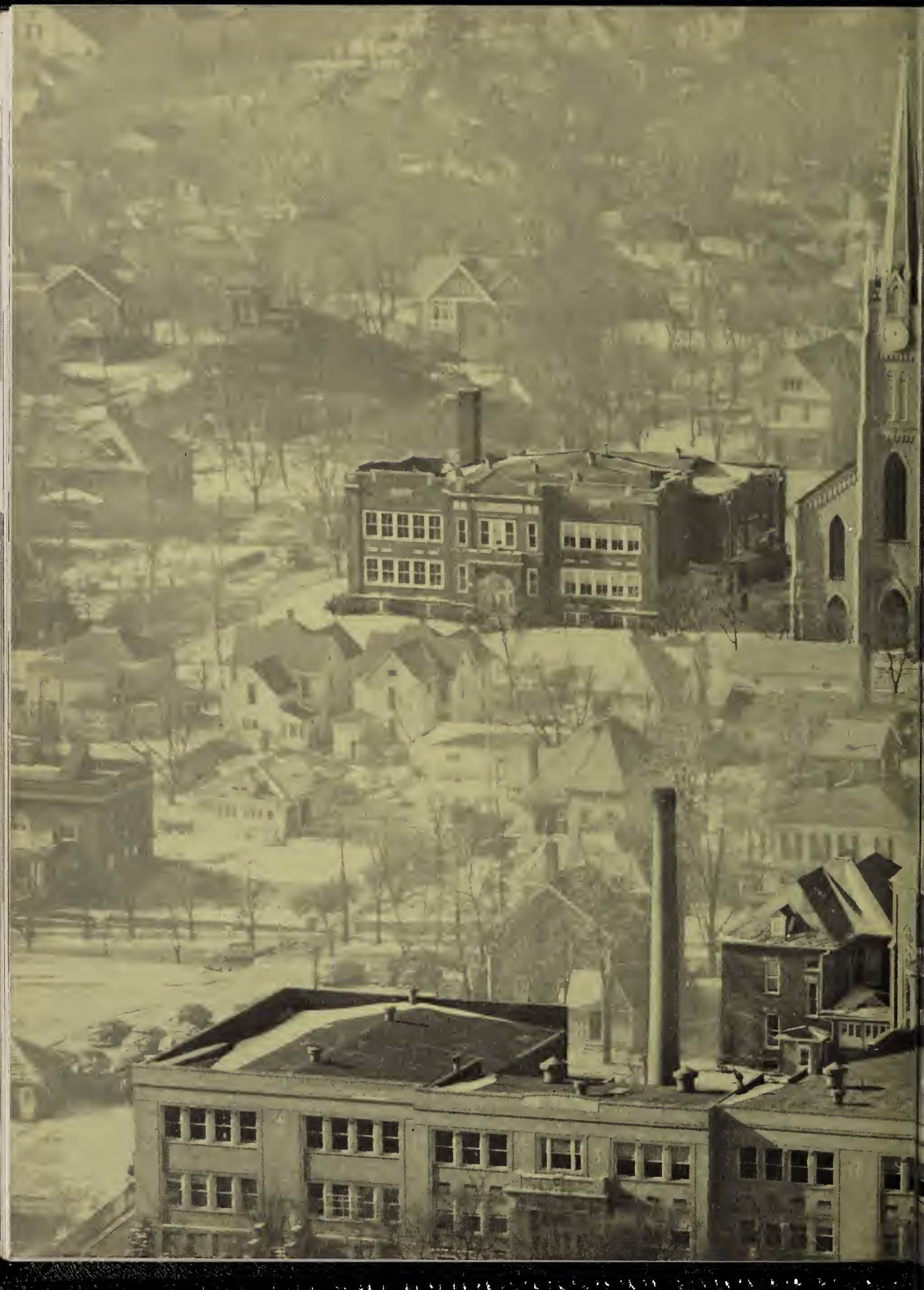
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